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Subject:	RE: Data Hub and API Manuscript - Need your assistance

Hi Dale,

Yes, you are correct that we need a volunteer agreement for both Amar and Bhaskar. Let me check with Justina and get back to you.

Best Regards,
Missy

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Missy,

Please see below. Doesn't this put us into that need for a volunteer agreement through ethics again (for both Amar and Bhaskar)? ....That was never squared away and basically in the end the decision was we just can't support publishing for folks who have left the Agency. I am especially uncomfortable tasking a contractor to do any of the work not knowing what if it's covered under a PWS. While on the surface it's a reasonable request, it gets complicated pretty fast. Can you please confirm my understanding of the need for a volunteer agreement and where we currently stand on the issue?

Dale

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Dear Dale,

Hope you had a great weekend. Congratulations on being the acting Director of SCDCD!

The purpose of this email is to request you to work with a few SCDCD staff members in order to complete the Data Hub and API manuscript. I had started to write before I left EPA, but could not complete due to various conflicting priorities for me and the team. I will need some final data for tables and architecture diagrams for the API's. Delivery of API is a great time for us to get this publication out asap. The staff I need to interact with are ;
1. Sarang (Contractor) to run some queries to get data for the tables

2. Asif Rashid (Fed) to share the architecture diagram , some technical information and details on API's- review the manuscript
3. Norman Adkins (Fed) - To help with management of these tasks and review and contribute to the manuscript.

I will work with Bhaskar Sharma separately who contributed to this work significantly, without him we would not have delivered Data Hub. .

I would only need 2-3 hrs of their time in total - one hour to discuss/share the current manuscript and formulate the data tables and API information , then a couple of hours for them to review the manuscript for their feedback. I have copied this email to respective managers / COR's for their reference.

My goal is to get this manuscript out before the end of summer so your help is much appreciated. If you want to discuss this over the phone please feel free to call me at 732-489-3033.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Thank you,

Best Regards,

Amar

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